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OSA COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT, SEPTEMBER 1969

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy for Operations, OSA

SUBJECT : Monthly Activities Report - Communications Division

1. Communications Division participated in several meetings on [REDACTED] No significant communications problems have been surfaced. 25X1A

2. Attached as Annexes I through V is the detailed report of Section activities.

[REDACTED]
Chief, Communications Division
OSA/DDS&T

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Attachment:

Annex I - Operations
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ANNEX I - OPERATIONS

1. Annex D to Headquarters Ops Order 6-69, SCOPE SAINT III, was completed and forwarded to the appropriate coordinating offices for review and concurrence.

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3. Technical performance of the phone patch installation at the U.S. Base Station has been successfully tested. Some technical refinements are now being accomplished. Operational tests are scheduled for the week of 6 October.

4. In connection with the phone patch system, the Office of Communications was requested to order up a dedicated telephone in DDS for our use with SCOPE SAINT III and all similar requirements of the future.

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25X1A occasioned the opportunity for [] to meet [] 25X1A
and his staff with whom we work so closely.

6. Radio conditions were very good for missions C209C and C229C. There were no communications anomalies reported.

25X1A 7. [] new Commo Chief, [] 25X1A
received an operational briefing at Headquarters prior to his home leave. He additionally spent four days orientation at [] en route to his PCS assignment.

25X1A 8. To give [] additional backup coverage for their staff commo circuit, action is being taken to establish an alternate RTTY circuit []

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ANNEX IV - SECURITY

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2. Met with [REDACTED] from SCD/OC for low key discussion on applying [REDACTED] as a sort of pilot project. We suggested OSA would have little interest in financing a project unless the existing service could be greatly improved.

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[REDACTED]

4. Did some spadework for the Staff Communications Division in Ames Building, which has a requirement for [REDACTED] storage and courier service. Procedures for obtaining this service were a little confusing. 25X1A

5. An ultra-sonic alarm has been installed in the [REDACTED] SigCen. 25X1A

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6. Action has been initiated to deactivate [REDACTED] SigCen. This SigCen was sponsored by the Office of Special Intelligence in support of Project [REDACTED] 25X1A

6. A re-supply of Ground Code 1A has been ordered for [REDACTED] Minor improvements have been included.

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7. [REDACTED] attended the DDS Trends and Highlights training course 8 through 12 September at [REDACTED] 25X1A

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8. A new angle on [REDACTED] plugboard maintenance problems developed -- fifty percent of the extra plugboards obtained to alleviate the problem turned out to be defective. The vendor will eventually make good on these, we have been informed.

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